

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re:	Application No. 10/559,996)	
)	<i>Confirmation No. 4587</i>
Filed:	October 4, 2006)	
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Applicants:	Ralf KRAHMER et al.)	
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Title:	REAGENTS FOR MODIFYING)	
	BIOPHARMACEUTICALS, THE)	This Amendment was electronically filed
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Art Unit:	1654)	
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Examiner:	Ronald T. Niebauer)	
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Attorney Docket:	5942/87136)	
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Customer No.:	22242)	

Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT D, REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION, AND
SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for a two-month extension of time in the above-identified application, up to and including July 19, 2010, to make this reply timely, the due date for response being Monday, July 19, 2010, the first business day after Sunday, July 18, 2010, to make this reply timely.

This Amendment is responsive to the Office Action dated February 18, 2010.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.